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TRUNK MYSTERY STILL UNSOLVED

Police Are as Puzzled as When Body Was Discovered.

New York, November 28.—The unsolved case of the trunk found in the Hudson river, which was believed to contain the body of a woman, has been taken up by the police department. The trunk was found on the Hudson river, near the foot of the city, and was believed to contain the body of a woman. The police department is now working to identify the body and to find out who the woman was.

INSPECTORS PROMOTED

Washington, D. C., November 28.—For meritorious service, a number of post-office inspectors were promoted today by Postmaster-General Hitchcock. Among them are Asell B. Britten, of Tennessee, and Robert W. Hodgins, of North Carolina.

BENZENE BLOWS UP

Berlin, November 28.—Four tanks, containing two and a half million gallons of benzene, exploded to-night in the suburb of Rummelsburg. There were no fatalities, but the whole city was lighted up by the flames. The damage is estimated at \$750,000. Other tanks holding 2,000,000 gallons were endangered.

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SUPREME COURT MAY SOON ADJOURN

Decisions Expected Thursday. Several Cases Heard Yesterday.

Having disposed of nearly the usual number of cases heard at the autumn term, the Supreme Court of Appeals, it is believed, will adjourn about the end of this week until early in January. The court has entered no order in this regard, but the supposition is based on the fact that about the ordinary point has been reached on the docket when the court adjourns for the holidays and considers the cases which it has just heard.

Before such action is taken, however, some decisions are expected in cases heard in Richmond early in November. One of these, and that which is awaited with the most interest, is the tax case of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railway. Also an opinion is doubtless looked for with a great deal of interest by W. D. Laidlaw and the two negroes convicted with him in Buckingham county for the murder of the Stuart brothers, for their lives hang on the result.

Cases Heard.

Yesterday's proceedings in the court were as follows:
Reid's Administrator vs. Windsor et al.; argued by C. E. Nicol, for the appellant, and by Robert A. Hutchison, for the appellees, and submitted.
Lynchburg Cotton Mill Company vs. Rivers; passed to January.

Bonal vs. Camp; partly argued by Thomas H. Wilcox, for the appellant, and by W. L. Williams, for the appellee, and continued to today.
Conrad, trustee, etc., vs. Quinn et al.; submitted on briefs.

Next cases to be called: Harris vs. Shields's Executor et al.; Darling's Executor vs. Cumming et al.; Portsmouth Cotton Oil Refining Corporation vs. Oliver Refining Company; Nebbett vs. Shackleton, sheriff, et al.; and Stedley & Barker et al. vs. Reed et al., being Nos. 24, 26, 27, 28 and 29 on the argument docket.

PULLING FAILED TO PROVE CHARGE

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pink and then to a darker color. Councilman Saunders, who is a druggist, and Dr. Miller, said that as far as they knew the solution did not change in strength, though it did in color. Pulling asked if it got as black as ink. They thought not.

Dr. Cabell took the stand and said that Pulling was discharged on recommendation of Miss Venable, who reported that he had not carried out his duties properly. Dr. Cabell remarked that he had taken him as a nurse conditionally. Asked what the condition was, he said that it was that he would not drink. Then followed questions from members of the committee and Pulling's answers.

First Assistant Snook told how Miss Bagby had brought the bottle down to him, and how he casually remarked that its contents looked like ink. He said that he had never said anything to Pulling about keeping the incident quiet. It had never occurred to him that his remark would be taken seriously.

Dr. Garnett Nelson, who had been in charge of the case, gave a history of it. He said that black spots appeared on the boy's body in a number of places, as is frequent in cases of typhoid, and added that an injection of ink would probably not have had an injurious effect.

Heard Nothing of Ink.

Miss Bagby said that the solution was in a bottle like the one before the committee, but she did not know what became of the original. The injections that she gave, she said, were according to the directions of the physician, and she paid no attention to the bottle except that the label was correct. Like the others she had heard nothing of the ink charge until after Pulling was discharged.

Following Miss Bagby came Miss Margaret L. Venable, chief nurse. She said very frankly that she returned to the home after the ink incident and knew little or nothing about it. As to the discharge of Pulling, she said it was recommended to Dr. Cabell because he was indolent and of absolutely no assistance. She made a "fuss," she said, when it came to her attention that employees and inmates of the institution were not properly doing what was assigned to them. After several questions from Pulling, asked through the chairman, she was dismissed, and Miss Julia Davis, one of the nurses, called.

Miss Davis stated that she did not give the first injection, but the first, in answer to Mr. Umbaugh's question, did not know what became of the original bottle. The first she heard of the charge was after Pulling had been discharged.

Dr. Johnston testified.
Dr. George Ben Johnston, a member of the visiting staff, was called in as an expert witness. He testified that even if ink had been injected it would have done no harm further than produce an abscess. He denied exposure, which it was claimed made the drug change, as being the injection of delicate drugs to fight air or heat. It might have been turned black, he said, in answer to Pulling's question, by the action of the light.

The last witness was W. H. Barrett, a nurse in the City Home, who had been with Pulling when some of the injections were administered. He testified that the ink was dark, but at the time there was no comment. Later on, he said, after Pulling had been dismissed, the ex-nurse told him that he knew something that would prove a "dangerous piece of business" to the hospital. He did not think that Pulling's discharge at the recommendation of Miss Venable was actuated by spite, though he has always felt that Pulling was faithful in his work.

After the resolution had been passed disposing of the pending charges, Mr. Saunders offered a motion, which was carried, that the first assistant be required to examine all drugs and medicines received from time to time, and also to examine the contents of the medicine chests in the wards, destroying such as were unfit for use.

PROHIBITION DEFEATED

Missouri Votes Overwhelmingly to Repeal.

Jefferson City, Mo., November 28.—Prohibition was defeated in Missouri at the recent election, according to official announcement today by 218,125 votes. It received 207,281 votes, with 425,408 against it, and carried only thirty-seven of 115 counties.

Steamer Is Missing.
Stettin, Germany, November 28.—The German steamer Berlin, from Sunderland for this port, has not been reported for seventeen days, and is supposed to have foundered in the North Sea. The Berlin carried a crew of seventy-five men. Her cargo was coal.

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GOVERNMENT GOES BEFORE COUNTRY

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United States of America, on the other, which have been the subject of controversy for nearly a century, have been at last finally settled by the award of The Hague tribunal.

"It is the cause of special satisfaction that it has been found possible to solve by arbitration problems of such an intricate and difficult nature, and that award has been received by both sides in a spirit which must tend to increase good will."

Yesterday's dissolution of Parliament brings to a crisis the long struggle now in progress to limit the legislative powers of the House of Lords and thereby permit the elective branch of Parliament—the House of Commons—to exert larger powers in effecting legislation, more particularly measures relating to Irish home rule and the financial budget.

Division in Present House.

The present House of Commons has a ministerial majority of 124, and the present standing of the various elements is as follows: Liberals, 275; Labor members, 40; Nationalists, 71; Independent Nationalists, 11; Unionists, 273.

Of the foregoing, the first four groups are generally counted as supporters of the ministry, giving a ministerial strength of 387, as against the Unionist strength of 273, or a net ministerial majority of 124.

The last general election followed the dissolution of January 10 last. Prior to that the ministerial majority was 234, and as a result of Unionist gains in the election the ministerial majority was reduced to the 124 of the present House.

\$150,000 FOR JAMES RIVER

That Amount Recommended for Improvement in Next Fiscal Year.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
Washington, D. C., November 28.—In the annual report of the chief of engineers of the War Department, made public to-day, it is recommended for the further improvement of the James River \$150,000 be expended for the construction of a new lock at the site of the proposed new city wharf at Richmond, having, with few exceptions, a width of 100 feet and a depth of sixteen feet at low water.

When the project is entirely completed Richmond will have excellent river transportation facilities. The project is recommended for Virginia and North Carolina follow:

Virginia—Milford Haven harbor, \$2,500,000; Norfolk harbor for maintenance, including Western Branch of Elizabeth River, \$5,000; and approaches and channels to Newport News and up the Southern Branch of the James River, \$425,000; James River, \$150,000; Nansemond River, \$3,000; Nomini Creek, \$3,000; Upper Machodoc Creek, \$13,200; Urbana Creek, \$10,000; Mattaponi and Pamunkey Rivers, \$10,000.

North Carolina—Improvement of inland water route to Norfolk, Va., to Albemarle Sound, \$2,000; a new harbor, \$5,000; Cape Fear River, at and below Wilmington, \$100,000; Contentment Creek, \$10,000; Neuse and Trent Rivers, \$5,000; New River and waterways to Beaufort, \$5,000; Northeast, Black and Cape Fear Rivers, \$3,500; Pamlico and Tar Rivers, \$5,000.

P. H. McG.

THREATEN TO TAKE LAW IN OWN HANDS

Oystermen Denounce Commissioner Lee for Stopping Resurvey of Beds.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
Newport News, Va., November 28.—A special from Menchville states that the Oystermen's Protective Association has adopted resolutions strongly denouncing Commissioner McDonald Lee for stopping the resurvey of the oyster beds, and stating it as the opinion of the association that the survey will not be resumed.

The resolutions state that the Governor will be appealed to, and if no help is received from him the oystermen will take the law in their own hands and remove whatever improper stakes, in their opinion, are in the river. They ask that the old Baylor Survey be re-established and stakes put down that will stay down. A repetition of the disorder of the early part of the season is expected in James River. The Warwick county association will take similar action this week.

Satchel Unclaimed.

There is a satchel and a box at the Second Police Station awaiting a claimant. A woman well laden with bundles alighted from a train at Elba Station a day or two ago. She called a negro boy to her aid, got on a car, and rode downtown. The negro was from Ashland, and in his excitement got separated from his patron. Fearing that he might be charged with the theft, the boy took the packages to the police station, where they await a claimant.

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YOUNG GIRL WAS NOT KIDNAPPED

When Found, Says She Accompanied Cowboy of Her Own Accord.

Mexico City, November 28.—Grace Rolph, of Pender, Neb., who for a time was believed to have been kidnapped from a hacienda in Tamaulipas by Segundo Severo, a Mexican cowboy, employer, ever since, was found alone in a small town near Tampico several days ago. It was learned to-day, she declared that she had not been kidnapped, but had gone away of her own accord.

She stated that she had not been deserted, but that Severo had gone to make peace with the officers who had been pursuing him. When that was accomplished, she said, they intended to be married. The American ambassador was appealed to by relatives of the girl for aid in effecting the capture of the alleged kidnapper.

MEXICAN REBELS ARE REINFORCED

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paign against Madero. Revolutionists, after engagements at Guerrero, have taken a stand at Jerez, where a combat is expected with government troops sent out by Jefe Politico Zea.

Pistols Confiscated.

Laredo, Texas, November 28.—According to reports received on both the American and Mexican sides of the border, everything is quiet.

The Nuevo Laredo Mexico says the postal and customs authorities seized 300 pistols to-day. The weapons, which came from the United States by registered mail, were returned to this country to-day as prohibited imports into the republic of Mexico.

A prominent American official of this district to-day received an anonymous letter, written in Spanish, stating that if he did not desist in his efforts in behalf of the Mexican government he would be killed.

The company of State Rangers which has been camped at Minera, Tex., for the past five days, returned to Laredo this afternoon.

Madero Safe.

San Antonio, Tex., November 28.—That Francisco I. Madero is safe and uninjured is the news brought to his family by a courier who comes direct from him to-day.

The messenger says that Madero is at present gathering his forces in the Laredo district, near Lerdo and Parral.

Madero was not wounded at any time, says the envoy, and is constantly gathering allies to his standard.

As far as the confiscation of the Madero estates is concerned, the courier states Madero is not much concerned, since the bulk of his interests are in the hands of friendly Americans.

Cubans Defeat Detroit.

Havana, November 28.—The Detroit baseball team was defeated to-day by the Havana nine 3 to 0.

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OVATION IS GIVEN TO CARTER CLASS

Defines His Attitude Toward Local Option and State-Wide Prohibition.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
Lynchburg, Va., November 28.—Before one of the largest and most enthusiastic audiences that has assembled in Lynchburg for decades Congressman Carter Glass, of the Sixth Virginia District, to-night, under the auspices of the local Anti-Saloon League, made a speech that will include any further misunderstanding as to his attitude toward local option and State-wide prohibition, as well as for national legislation to prevent the shipping of liquor from "wet" to "dry" territory.

It was not necessary for Mr. Glass to make a statement as to his belief in local option or prohibition to a Lynchburg audience, but he longed to state his attitude toward the legalized liquor traffic, he misunderstood in the Old Dominion.

For an hour and a half 1,500 persons were electrified by his arguments against the return of the saloon here and the evasion of the law by the use of a marked one, and no home audience ever before gave one of its citizens more loyal or more genuine testimony or esteem.

On the stand and again at the close Mr. Glass said he was willing to take the responsibility for what he had said, and was willing to hear the consequences, if there should be any.

In introducing Mr. Glass, Rev. J. D. McAllister, general secretary of the State Anti-Saloon League, made the statement that during the past twelve months upwards of 400 persons have been registered illegally in the various precincts of the city.

Mr. Glass went into this condition at length in the State, declaring the people of the State would be willing to meet the demand that a State-wide right would place thousands of illegal voters on the registration books, and if there had been illegal registrations here, the guilty election officers ought to be punished under the law.

He was out on bail pending an examination as to his sanity. He was prominent in local affairs. He is survived by a widow and one son.

BANKER A SUICIDE

Charged With Theft of \$5,000, He Shoots.

Rockport, Texas, November 28.—George T. Tufis, former cashier of the Rockport National Bank, who recently was indicted for the alleged larceny of about \$5,000 from the bank, committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart here late to-day.

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RAILROAD WANTS THREE-CENT RATE

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of Article 4 of the Virginia Constitution. The Tufis does not admit that the Corporation Commission has the power to put its limit below 8 cents a mile, as fixed by its charter.

Hill Carter filed the petition as attorney for the road.

Within a few days the corporation Commission will fix a date for the formal hearing on the matter, and will notify the Attorney-General, who will defend the case for the State.

In the Washington-Southern case, decided in June, in which the same points arose, the commission decided against the 3-cent rate, but permitted the railway to charge 2 1/2 cents, which was unsatisfactory to the company, and it took an appeal to the Supreme Court.

granted under the law, as a matter of right, and the case now awaits a hearing. There seems to be no reason to suppose that the commission will decide the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac case on any other than the same basis with that of the Washington-Southern, which would seem to also indicate an appeal.

These cases possess the keenest interest for the people of Richmond and of the State, for the Richmond Washington line does an immense business, its traffic being extremely dense and its service greatly in demand. It was not a party to the proceedings whereby the other leading roads were allowed to increase their rates to 2 1/2 cents.

OFFICER KILLED IN PISTOL DUEL

As He Falls Fires Fatal Shot Into Supposed Burglar.

Philadelphia, Pa., November 28.—During a pistol duel at Forty-second and Pine streets to-night Policeman Barnett was shot in the spine, and died in the University Hospital, and an unknown man, supposed to be a burglar, was shot and killed.

Barnett, who was in civilian dress, had been sent to watch the locality, as a number of burglaries had recently been committed there.

At Forty-second and Pine streets he saw two men who aroused his suspicions, and he followed them. They separated at Forty-second street, and he followed one who had entered an alley. When he began to question the man the latter drew a revolver and shot him. As the policeman fell he drew his own pistol and fired two shots at his fleeing assailant. The latter dropped dead. The dead man was about twenty-five years old and had blue eyes and black hair.

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